

BI-PETRO REFINING COMPANY, INC.

P. O. BOX 3245
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62708

June 9, 1981

U.S. Environmental
Protection Agency
Region V
Sites Notification
Chicago, Illinois 60604

RE: SUPERFUND 103(c) Reporting

Dear Sir,

Enclosed is the EPA Form 8900-1, Notification of Hazardous Waste Site, for Bi-Petro Refining Co., Inc. (Bi-Petro) which is being filed pursuant to Section 103(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 (SUPERFUND). This transmittal letter contains additional information pertinent to responses contained in the Form 8900-1, and should be considered part of that filing.

Bi-Petro's refinery, located at Pana, Illinois, is the subject of this site notification. The types of hazardous wastes generated at the refinery and any current treatment, storage and disposal activities were previously identified in Bi-Petro's notification under Section 3010 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The attached form 8900-1 relates only to inactive hazardous waste facilities located at the refinery that were operated by former owners of the site.

A refinery has been located at the present site of Bi-Petro's facility as far back as the late 1930's. A list of prior owners of the site is attached as appendix A. It is Bi-Petro's understanding that this refinery, which was partially dismantled when Bi-Petro assumed ownership of the facility, produced the following products slate: #2 fuel oil, #4 fuel oil, #6 fuel oil, gas oil, leaded gasoline (regular and premium grades), jet fuel (JP-4) and naptha. From pictures of the old refinery, there appears

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to have been several surface impoundments which may have held hazardous waste. Several of these facilities are still visible on the site. Bi-Petro does not know exactly what wastes were stored in these facilities, nor does the company have any information on how those wastes were ultimately disposed of, whether off-site or on-site. It is likely that these surface impoundments relieved some amount of what may be hazardous waste into the environment.

Through a search of old records at the site, it is also learned that an asphalt plant was operated on a portion of the ninety acre site presently owned by Bi-Petro. The plant was operated by a company named I. M. Emulsions, with offices then in Centralia, Illinois. The asphalt plant was located on roughly 40,000 square feet, which was apparently leased from Pana Refining Co., a former owner of the site. The specific products, length of operation and waste disposal factors are unknown.

Truly yours,

Bi-Petro Refining Co., Inc.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Richard S. Wolters".

Richard S. Wolters
Secretary

RSW/dj

Enc.

CC: Steve Paxson
Bracewell & Patterson

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United States
Environmental Protection
Agency
Washington DC 20460

This initial notification information is required by Section 103(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 and must be mailed by June 9, 1981.

Please type or print in ink. If you need additional space, use separate sheets of paper. Indicate the letter of the item which applies.

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A Person Required to Notify:

Enter the name and address of the person or organization required to notify.

Name Bi-Petro Refining Co., Inc.
Street 3180 Adloff Lane, Suite 404
City Springfield State Ill. Zip Code 62703

B Site Location:

Enter the common name (if known) and actual location of the site.

Name of Site Bi-Petro Refining Co., Inc.
Street Route 52, P.O. Box 249 U.S. Route 51 South
City Pana County _____ State Ill. Zip Code 62557

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C Person to Contact:

Enter the name, title (if applicable), and business telephone number of the person to contact regarding information submitted on this form.

Name (Last, First and Title) Richard S. Wolters, Corporate Counsel - Secretary
Phone (217) 529-0181

D Dates of Waste Handling:

Enter the years that you estimate waste treatment, storage, or disposal began and ended at the site.

From (Year) 1939 To (Year) Present 1981

E Waste Type: Choose the option you prefer to complete

Option 1: Select general waste types and source categories. If you do not know the general waste types or sources, you are encouraged to describe the site in Item I—Description of Site.

General Type of Waste:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes. The categories listed overlap. Check each applicable category.

- 1. ☐ Organics
- 2. ☐ Inorganics
- 3. ☐ Solvents
- 4. ☐ Pesticides
- 5. ☐ Heavy metals
- 6. ☐ Acids
- 7. ☐ Bases
- 8. ☐ PCBs
- 9. ☐ Mixed Municipal Waste
- 10. ☐ Unknown
- 11. ☐ Other (Specify)

Source of Waste:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes.

- 1. ☐ Mining
- 2. ☐ Construction
- 3. ☐ Textiles
- 4. ☐ Fertilizer
- 5. ☐ Paper/Printing
- 6. ☐ Leather Tanning
- 7. ☐ Iron/Steel Foundry
- 8. ☐ Chemical, General
- 9. ☐ Plating/Polishing
- 10. ☐ Military/Ammunition
- 11. ☐ Electrical Conductors
- 12. ☐ Transformers
- 13. ☐ Utility Companies
- 14. ☐ Sanitary/Refuse
- 15. ☐ Photofinish
- 16. ☐ Lab/Hospital
- 17. ☐ Unknown
- 18. ☐ Other (Specify)

Option 2: This option is available to persons familiar with the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Section 3001 regulations (40 CFR Part 261).

Specific Type of Waste:

EPA has assigned a four-digit number to each hazardous waste listed in the regulations under Section 3001 of RCRA. Enter the appropriate four-digit number in the boxes provided. A copy of the list of hazardous wastes and codes can be obtained by contacting the EPA Region serving the State in which the site is located.

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F Waste Quantity: Place an X in the appropriate boxes to indicate the facility types found at the site. In the "total facility waste amount" space give the estimated combined quantity (volume) of hazardous wastes at the site using cubic feet or gallons. In the "total facility area" space, give the estimated area size which the facilities occupy using square feet or acres.	Facility Type 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Piles 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Land Treatment 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Landfill 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Tanks 5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Impoundment 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Underground Injection 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Drums, Above Ground 8. <input type="checkbox"/> Drums, Below Ground 9. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____	Total Facility Waste Amount cubic feet <u>unknown</u> gallons <u>unknown</u> Total Facility Area square feet <u>unknown</u> acres <u>unknown</u>
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G Known, Suspected or Likely Releases to the Environment:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes to indicate any known, suspected, or likely releases of wastes to the environment.

☐ Known ☐ Suspected ☒ Likely ☐ None

Note: Items H and I are optional. Completing these items will assist EPA and State and local governments in locating and assessing hazardous waste sites. Although completing the items is not required, you are encouraged to do so.

H Sketch Map of Site Location: (Optional)

Sketch a map showing streets, highways, routes or other prominent landmarks near the site. Place an X on the map to indicate the site location. Draw an arrow showing the direction north. You may substitute a publishing map showing the site location.

See attached Exhibit A.

I Description of Site: (Optional)

Describe the history and present conditions of the site. Give directions to the site and describe any nearby wells, springs, lakes, or housing. Include such information as how waste was disposed and where the waste came from. Provide any other information or comments which may help describe the site conditions.

See attached Exhibit A.

J Signature and Title:

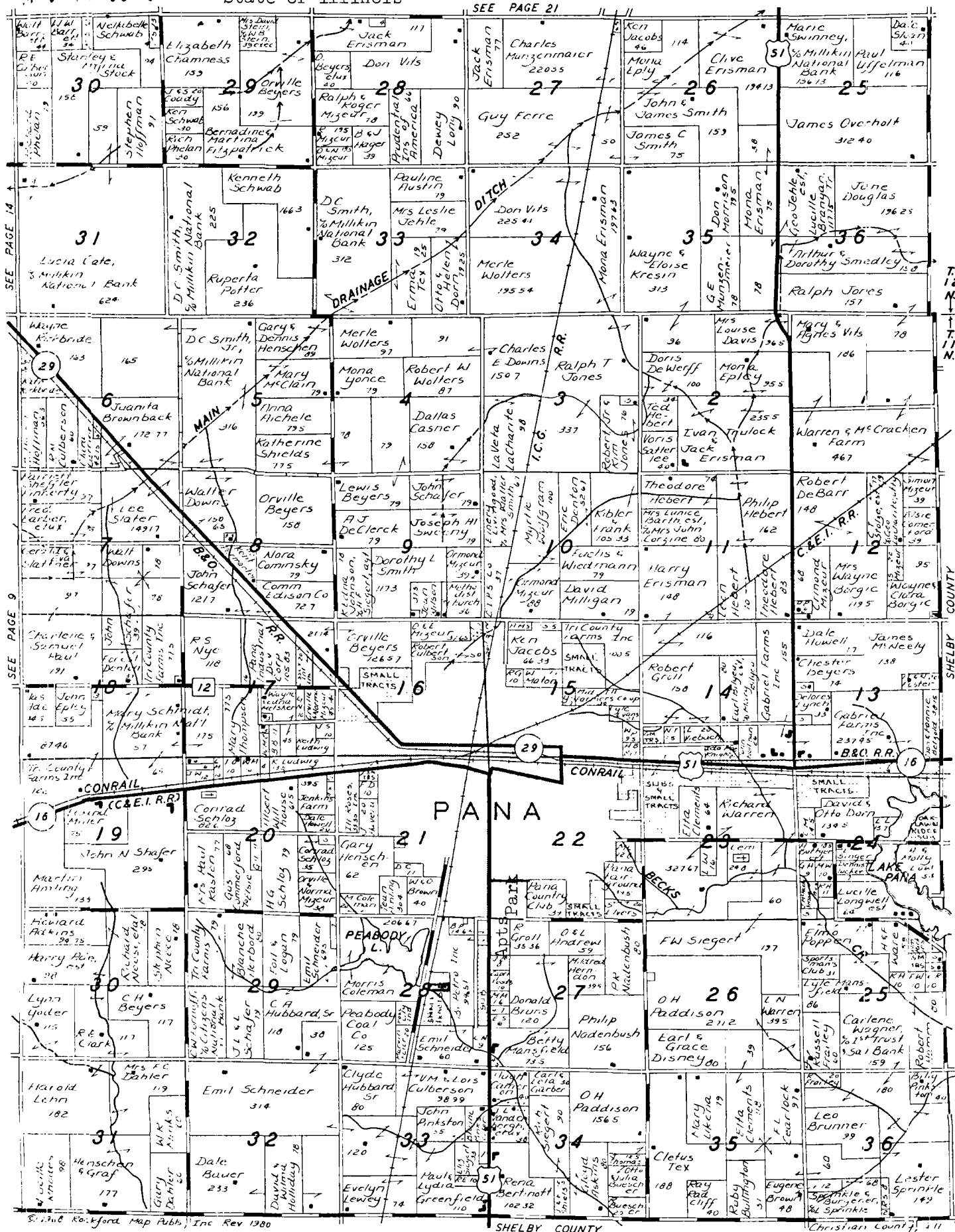
The person or authorized representative (such as plant managers, superintendents, trustees or attorneys) of persons required to notify must sign the form and provide a mailing address (if different than address in item A). For other persons providing notification, the signature is optional. Check the boxes which best describe the relationship to the site of the person required to notify. If you are not required to notify check "Other".

Name Richard S. Wolters
Street 3180 Adloff Lane, Suite 404
City Springfield State IL Zip Code 62703
Signature Richard S. Wolters Date 6/9/81

- ☒ Owner, Present
☐ Owner, Past
☐ Transporter
☒ Operator, Present
☐ Operator, Past
☐ Other

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* Pana Water Treatment Facility